SENATE BILL 2559 By Burks

AN ACT to designate a certain bridge in Cannon County as the "J. L. Bush Memorial Bridge".

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

WHEREAS, from time to time, this General Assembly has seen fit to name certain highways and bridges to honor those exemplary citizens who during their lifetimes truly distinguished themselves as invaluable public servants of their fellow human beings and their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, Mr. J. L. Bush of Bradyville was truly once such public-spirited citizen: he was renowned throughout his community as a peerless civic leader and a devoted family man; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bush served with acumen, alacrity and integrity as a mail carrier for the Bradyville community for 42 years, never failing in his duties regardless of the physical conditions under which he worked; and

WHEREAS, his sterling life truly stands as a testament to the virtues of hard work and honesty, as he has left behind an indelible legacy of outstanding public service which was performed, not for personal gain, but rather for the satisfaction of a job well done and the betterment of his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bush's family has expressed a desire to name a certain bridge in the Bradyville community in his honor, and the Cannon County Commission has officially endorsed this proposal; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly has always endeavored to comply with the wishes of local governments whenever it is feasible to do so; now, therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the bridge on State Highway 64 adjacent to the old Bradyville School in Cannon County is hereby designated as the "J. L. Bush Memorial Bridge" to commemorate this fine gentleman's life of purpose and commitment to others.

SECTION 2. The Department of Transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating such bridge as the "J. L. Bush Memorial Bridge".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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